

LOCAL NEWS.

Furniture of all kinds repaired and satisfaction given.

KIDWELL & TALBOTT.
Furniture Store.

Mrs. Frank Thorpe is visiting relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. Hal McNair, of Oregon, came in Tuesday on a visit with some folks.

C. H. Price, The Butcher, can be found at the old stand, with a full line of Fresh and Salt Meats, the best in the market.

The Finest Yet.

Jesse Hardy has added to his fine equipment at "The Palms" a strictly up-to-date soda fountain, a regular beauty. It cost only \$1012.00, and he is congratulating himself on getting such a bargain. When you see you will want a drink.

Ice! Ice! Ice!

The coldest ice in town at
C. H. PRICE'S.

Furniture for sale—I have for sale several pieces of household furniture, folding bed, etc.

W. C. BEWLEY.

A. L. Hows sold his interest in the hotel to his partner, Mr. Houchen and went over to Boonville and bought a pool room of his own. He expects to move over the latter part of the month.

Mrs. Olive Child, of Itasca, Texas, and her sister, Mrs. Mounts, in St. Louis, and they together selected their stock of Millinery for both years. Mrs. Child came home with \$1.000 for a few day's visit for her Texas home Sunday.

Teaching at the Presbyterian Church.

Regular services at the Westminster Presbyterian Church next Sunday, morning and evening. Sunday school 9:30. You are invited.

Versailles Street and County Fair 1911.

Sept. 27, 28, 29 and 30th.

Rev. W. C. Bewley preached his well sermon Sunday night to a large and appreciative audience. He closes his term here of four years, and now he will have to move. He is at present attending conference. We will not know his destination, successor, before next week.

Sam Crewson got in his new Ford Sunday, and had it in running order Monday, and then editor had an experimental ride in it. It is the make, all right, so far ahead of anything in this section, and so many movements you will have to see for full particulars, and if you in the notion he will sell you—a shine.

Rankin Residence Burned.

Last Thursday morning the handsome home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rankin, corner of Monroe street and Washington avenue, during the electrical storm, was struck by lightning and entirely destroyed, with a good deal of the contents. It was insured \$2,000, and contents for \$1,000, which will only partially cover the loss.

Once losing nearly all his goods, Dr. Bole's is undecided just what he will do. He says that it would make him feel mighty good now if those that are owing him would settle their accounts with him. A reporter failed to get the names of the heavier part of the loss of young men entertained by Dr. Bole's at their home in the lawn week before last. The names were Messrs. Richard Woods, Gene and John Moore, and G. Witten. If we did miss any of them, they didn't miss any of the things, or any part of the good

Buy your Ice of C. H. Price, and get it right. At the old stand.

Sam Letchworth (colored) showed us some of his fine peaches, the best we have seen this year, and although seedlings they measured 7 1/2 to 8 inches around and looked as good as the grafted sort.

Dr. E. P. Yarnell now sports a new typewriter, but how he can use it for pulling teeth we don't know, and don't see what other use he can have for it. We're going to have our teeth pulled before he buys an auto, for then he would pull them all at once. Oh! my, how that tooth did jump.

Millinery Bazar Opening, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 22-23

A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and see our display of all the fads in Fall and Winter Millinery Goods—all the latest styles—the newest colors and trimmings—as I have had the benefit of personally visiting two markets, Kansas City and St. Louis, and a Chicago House display, which I have carefully inspected for the benefit of my many customers.

With the help of my former trimmer, Miss Georgia Yarnell, we feel able to please the most fastidious, and we will be glad to welcome our friends.

Call and see our goods before purchasing. Prices to suit all.
N. E. MOUNTS.

LUMBER

Now is the time to build that new house, or repair the old one, as you will never buy lumber for less money than now.

We have a complete stock of all kinds of building material and the quality and prices are right, so don't fail to see us in our new yard just east of Mo. Pac. Depot.

Abell & Hardy.

Miss Stella Brooks left Sunday for Mexico, Mo., to visit her sister, Miss Hortense, who has employment there.

Dr. Chas. D. Osborne has purchased the practice of Dr. Gregg Gunn, at Florence, and is now a resident of that enterprising little city. Dr. Gregg Gunn is reported very low with consumption, and is now at the home of his father-in-law, D. C. Hardy, Sr., this city.

Rev. Sudduth held services at Fortuna Sunday, but missed the morning services on account of the rain. At night a good congregation and the best of attention. Subject at night: Christian Duty. The matter of ordaining two deacons was postponed until the second Sunday in October.

Heavy rains Wednesday night, Saturday morning, Sunday and Sunday night, and it is thought by some of our oldest inhabitants that the drought is broken.

Rev. Z. T. Orr and H. F. Abell left Tuesday morning for Appleton City to attend the semi-annual meeting of the Sedalia Presbytery, which convened there Tuesday evening, for a three days session. They will be home Thursday of Friday.

Sugar has gone down to 12 1/2 lbs for the \$ at Versailles, and it is promised by some that it will go down to 8 lbs. While the sugar trust is making a few millions extra a day, the middleman does not forget to add his share, mostly getting there first.

The Street Fair catalogues are out, but we were badly handicapped on the job, getting such a hurry-order we didn't have time to write paper, and our neighbor, the Leader, having only enough for their own use, we had to use what we had and do the best we could. If didn't take us four weeks to get it out, anyway.

You will find the best of Fresh Meats, Smoked and Salt Meats, Lard, Sausage, Etc., at C. H. PRICE'S.

Miss Heneretta Jacobs, who has been spending the summer with relatives in Texas, returned home last week.

Sam W. Davis, of Poplar Bluff, Mo., an old time newspaper man, having followed the business for 41 years, and getting out of harness, by breaking a tug two weeks ago, is in our city looking over Morgan county. We acknowledge a pleasant visit Tuesday.

The Republican is again without an editor, but as a friend says, it is a much better paper without. We just leave it in hands of the Street Fair, State Fair and our assistant editors—they will keep you pretty well posted on what you want to know anyway.

MRS. J. W. BOLES.

Will open with a beautiful line of Millinery September 22 and 23. Mrs. Bole's stock has been selected by a competent lady trimmer of St. Louis, so her customers may depend on the latest correct head wear. She will have able assistance in her work this fall. All work and styles guaranteed. Liberal prices.
EAST SIDE.

Drs. Well and Bowline performed an operation on Miss Rosie Hoffman, of Freeburg, Gasconade county, Friday, Sept. 8th, at the home of Mrs. N. P. Baker, Westlawn, for ovarian cyst, removing a 56 lb. tumor. The patient is getting along nicely.

In our statement that the fire in Dr. Bole's drug store caused only a small loss, we were going according to our information, but it was an error, as the dense smoke damaged his entire stock, and even with the insurance he held his loss is a heavy one.

SOUTH WEST BAPTIST COLLEGE WILL APPEAL TO MORGAN COUNTY BAPTISTS FOR CO-OPERATION.

So Enlist and Serve all South-west Missouri.

The Lamine Baptist Association meets this year at Pilot Grove on September 19, 20 and 21. The messengers from the various churches have already been selected.

One feature of the educational report will be an appeal for the co-operation of Morgan county Baptists with the Baptists of Southwest Missouri in rebuilding South West Baptist College at Bolivar, Polk county. Their building burned June 1, 1910. The school was established in 1872 and has turned out over a hundred full college graduates and has done much in the education of over 3,000 other young men and young women. It numbers among its alumni some of the strong men of the state, among the first graduates being Rev. R. K. Maiden, editor of the World and Way of Kansas City, well known in this county.

The friends of the school are planning to erect a better and more commodious building, extend the course to include agriculture, manual training and domestic science, and to make it one of the best equipped small colleges in the West.

The school is located as near the center of the territory it is intended to serve as it would be possible to locate it. The college campus is a beautiful and valuable six acre lot and there will be several thousand dollars worth of material left in the ruins of the old building that can be used in the new. This material is being put in order now and the foundation is being cleared and prepared for the new structure.

To secure the control of the school to all Southwest Missouri, that section of the state has been divided into fifteen college districts according to Baptist population, from each of which a trustee will be elected as soon as plans can be promulgated and the districts organized. Morgan county is in District No. 14, which includes Morgan and Miller counties. These organization plans will be discussed thoroughly at the associations.

This county has had several students in the college during its history and has many warm friends in the county.

The school is not intending to solicit funds at the association, but just simply

to place its claims properly before the people and let them understand thoroughly what is proposed to be done. A financial agent will be placed in the field later to solicit the funds.

The board of trustees has issued a bulletin setting forth their plans and will be glad to talk them to any person or church in the county what is interested.

Miss Willie Gunn leaves Thursday afternoon for Windsor, where she will visit friends and attend the fair.

Wanted—To buy good milch cow. Call for H. E. Mahan, agent Mo. Pac. Ry., Versailles, Mo.

Continue to watch the date after your name, and keep it within the 12 month bounds. We need the money, and your dear Uncle Sam says it is the proper thing to do.

Moved

Having moved to my new location across the street below Joachimi's Grocery Store I kindly invite my customers to come and see my large stock of Harness, Saddles, Bridles, and everything in the line of a first-class Saddlery Store.

JOHN WASSUNG.

About The Colored Folks.

Miss Bessie Pullum of Kansas City is visiting her father and other relatives this week.

Mr. Jim Chism, who has been quite ill at his home, is reported much better at this writing.

Mr. Fred Hester who has been visiting friends in California has returned home.

Mrs. Mary Steward having embraced the love of God, was baptized Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lev Smith spent Monday in Glenstead visiting Mrs. Sallie King who is very sick.

Mrs. Sarah Adams, and Hannah Woods returned home Monday from Clinton, Missouri, where they attended their sister's funeral.

Miss Tilla Pullum left Monday for Kansas City, where she will attend school this winter.

Quite a crowd attended the entertainment given at the Dunbar Hall Saturday night.

Mr. Merchant Remembered.

Mr. I. W. Merchant, who left Friday for his old Indiana home, had been the faithful superintendent of West Union S. S. for four years, rarely missing a Sunday, and doing a splendid work in building up the school. On Wednesday of last week the entire S. S. with a goodly number of the neighbors, gathered at his residence, with well-filled baskets, and held a farewell reception and 5 o'clock dinner, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all. After dinner a few remarks were offered by Mr. Seth Bailey, who, on behalf of the school, presented Mr. Merchant with a fine water color picture, and another one, which failed to arrive on time, to send him later, as a small token of their affection and esteem. Mr. Merchant was agreeably surprised and very visibly affected by the generous gifts. Mr. Bailey said in part: "My brother: for four years you have been Supt. of the West Union Sunday school. We have enjoyed your presence among us but we have come to the parting of the ways. We shall miss your cordial hand grasp, your wise counsel and your neighborly helpfulness. In behalf of the Sunday school I present you this water color picture 'Off the Cataline Islands.' I read into it this meaning: The voyage is ended. The mariner has reached his desired haven. Behind are all the storms and dangers. The sail is furled and the anchor is cast. O'er all is the beauty and peace of the sunset glow of the Pacific. The painting is the work of a master artist. It is our prayer that when you have finished life's voyage you may furl your sail, anchor your barque safe within the harbor of Eternal Peace and the beauty of life's sunset glow may be the reflection of the glorious resurrection morning."

Missouri State Fair

Sept. 30 to Oct. 6, 1911

Tickets on sale at Missouri Pacific Railway depot in Versailles on and from September 29th, good returning up to and including October 9th.

The round trip from this station will be

\$1.35 to Sedalia, Mo., proper \$1.55 to Sedalia Fair Grounds

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